

CAI CONNECTION

The mission of Christian Academy is to develop students with a heart for God, who grow as Jesus did in wisdom, stature and in favor with God and men.

December 11 2020

Elementary News

Chapel-Pastors Paul and Jen Harvey, Family Pastors at Covenant Life Church, and parents of Kaden and Kai, talked to us about joy. They shared the story of the angels appearing to the shepherds and telling them to not be afraid because they were bringing good news of great joy! This news is for everyone everywhere! They challenged us to put joy into practice by putting Jesus first, others second, and ourselves last. Mr. Jason Shaw and Mrs. Donna Shaw, parents to Grace and Emmett, led us in worship. In our K-2nd grade chapel, we heard a piano selection from Barrett Annis. In our 3rd-5th grade chapel, we heard piano selections from Molly Jackson and Payton Driver.

This week's chapel:

Next week's chapel:

[K-2 12/09/2020@8:15](#)

[K-2 12/16/2020@8:15](#)

[3-5 12/09/2020@9:00](#)

[3-5 12/16/2020@9:00](#)

Calendar Highlights

December

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| 18 | End of Quarter 2 |
| 21-Jan.1 | Christmas Break, No School K-12, JA Part Day |
| 21-25 | Christmas Break, No School JA Full Day |
| 31-Jan. 1 | Christmas Break, No School JA Full Day |

January

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| 4 | Teacher In-Service, No School K-12 |
| | Classes Resume for JA Full and Part Day |
| 5 | Classes Resume for K-12 |
| 18 | ML King Jr. Day, No School JA-12 |



Armory Special Hours

FRIDAY, 12/11 - 2:30-4:00PM
TUESDAY, 12/15 - 5:30-7:30PM
WEDNESDAY, 12/16 - 2:30-4:00PM
THURSDAY, 12/17 - 5:30-7:30PM
FRIDAY, 12/18 - 2:30-4:00PM

Philippians 4:4 "Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice!"

Weekly Warrior Spotlight

This week's Weekly Warriors are Mrs. Barrett and her Kindergarten students— Mrs. Kara Barrett has been a teacher at CAI for almost six years. It has been her favorite job, ever! We truly have an amazing school. Mrs. Barrett and her husband, Brian, have been married for 21 years. Their daughter, Ashlynn, graduated from CAI last year, and their son, Blake, is a sophomore at CAI. They love to watch movies and travel together. Mrs. Barret and her family have attended Northside Christian for 15 years. They also love visiting Forward Church. On January 1, they will be moving to Orlando, Florida. Leaving CAI and Southern Indiana is one of the hardest things they have ever had to do. Mrs. Barrett absolutely loves the students, families, and staff here! They have all been such a blessing to her!

Mrs. Barrett could go on and on about her Kinders and all the wonderful things they know and do, they have blown her away this year and have reminded her why she chose to teach so many years ago. Her favorite thing about them is their hearts, they have such a heart for God. They love to learn about Him and His Word. They don't just learn about how to be more like Jesus, they live like Him. They do so many wonderful acts of service each day; they love to help others, spur one another on and make sure everyone has a friend and feels loved. Kindergarten is Mrs. Barrett's favorite age; they learn so much throughout the year, it is amazing. They truly fill her heart with so much joy. Love God, love others is their class motto and they live by it everyday in class. Mrs. Barrett is grateful for these students and their families. She is grateful for every student that she has ever had the privilege of teaching at CAI and their families as well. Mrs. Barret wants you all to know you are loved by God and by her, always!

